

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

HDT BIO CORP.,

CASE NO. C22-0334JLR

Plaintiff,

ORDER

EMCURE PHARMACEUTICALS,
LTD.,

Defendant.

Before the court is Plaintiff HDT Bio Corp.’s (“HDT”) motion to seal its first amended complaint. (Mot. (Dkt. # 131).) HDT states that portions of its first amended complaint contain information that was produced and designated by Defendant Emcure Pharmaceuticals, Ltd. (“Emcure”) as “‘Confidential’ and/or ‘Attorney Eyes Only’” under the terms of the protective order entered in this case. (*Id.* at 2; *see also* Am. Compl. (Dkt. # 133 (sealed), 132 (redacted))).) HDT takes “no position on the merits” of the motion to seal and states that it was obligated to bring the motion under the parties’ protective

1 order. (Mot. at 2.) In response, Emcure states that “the excerpts, allegations, and
2 characterizations identified in the Motion and redacted from the FAC are not confidential
3 and can be publicly filed.” (Resp. (Dkt. # 134) at 2.)

4 Accordingly, in light of Emcure’s representations, the court DENIES as moot
5 HDT’s motion to seal its first amended complaint (Dkt. # 131) and DIRECTS the Clerk
6 to unseal HDT’s first amended complaint (Dkt. # 133).

7 Dated this 18th day of September, 2023.

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